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Appointments to fill vacancies in subsidiary organs and other appointments

Appointment of members of the Committee on Contributions

Note by the Secretary-General

1. As indicated in the note by the Secretary-General of 15 July 1999 (A/54/102), the General Assembly will be required, during its current session, to appoint six persons to fill the vacancies that will occur in the membership of the Committee on Contributions, beginning on 1 January 2000.

2. The following persons have been nominated by their respective Governments for appointment or reappointment:

Mr. Alvaro **Gurgel de Alencar Netto** (Brazil);

Mr. **Ju** Kuilin (China);

Mr. Sergei I. **Mareyev** (Russian Federation);

Mr. Angel **Marrón** (Spain);

Mr. Hae-Yun **Park** (Republic of Korea);

Mr. Ugo **Sessi** (Italy).

3. The candidates' curricula vitae follow.

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Alvaro Gurgel de Alencar Netto (Brazil)

B.A. in law (National Law School, Rio de Janeiro, 1960)

B.A. in international relations (Brazilian Diplomatic School, Rio de Janeiro, 1962)

Graduate study in economics (Ottawa University, 1965-1967)

Joined Brazilian foreign service in 1962 as Third Secretary; was elevated to the rank of Ambassador in 1986.

Posts abroad

Embassy in Ottawa, Second Secretary, 1965-1967

Deputy Consul-General in Hong Kong, 1967-1969

Counsellor, Permanent Delegation to the United Nations Office at Geneva (GATT), 1973-1976

Deputy Permanent Representative to the United Nations Office at Geneva (GATT), 1979-1985

Deputy Permanent Representative to the United Nations, New York, 1987-1990

Consul-General in Berlin, 1990-1993

Permanent Representative to FAO, Rome, 1993-1997

Ambassador in Havana, 1997-

Offices in Brazil

Adviser to the head of the Economic Department, Ministry of External Relations, 1963-1964

Trade Policy Division, Ministry of External Relations: acting head, 1972-1973; head, 1976-1977

Under-Secretary for International Economics and Technical Cooperation, Ministry for Planning, 1977-1979

Under-Secretary for International Affairs, Ministry of Finance, 1979, 1985-1987

Functions abroad

Chairman, Executive Committee of the Paris Union for the Protection of Industrial Property, 1975

Chairman, Technical Assistance Committee of the Patent Cooperation Treaty, 1975

President of the General Assembly of the World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO), 1976-1979

Chief negotiator, placement of Brazil bonds, Frankfurt, 1979

Chairman, WIPO Coordination Committee, Geneva, 1980

Chairman, Expert Group on the generalized system of trade preferences, Geneva, 1980-1981

Chairman of the G-30 on economic cooperation among developing countries, Geneva, 1982-1983

Delegate to several ministerial meetings of the Group of 77

Coordinator of the G-77 in negotiations on restrictive business practices, code of conduct for the transfer of technology, revision of the Paris Convention on Industrial Property and the generalized system of trade preferences, Geneva, 1980-1983

Chief negotiator, Brazil's full balance-of-payments consultation, GATT, 1983

Delegate to sessions of the Industrial Development Board, Trade Development Board, GATT Council and Contracting Parties, SELA Council, Economic and Social Council and United Nations General Assembly

Deputy Alternate Governor, IBRD and IDB, 1979, 1985-1987

Deputy Representative to the United Nations Security Council, 1988-1989

Special Representative of the Minister of External Relations and head of delegation to the eighth session of UNCTAD, Cartagena, 1992

Member, Committee on Contributions, New York, 1994-

Functions in Brazil

Member of the Customs Policy Council, 1976-1977, 1985-1987

Member of the External Loans Commission, 1979

Adviser to President-elect Tancredo Neves, 1985

Member of the National Commission for ALADI (Latin American Integration Association), 1979, 1985-1987

Member of the Export Financing Commission, 1985-1987

Chief negotiator for the official Brazilian debt (Paris Club)

Published works

"The UN and the Brazilian interest in the field of development", in "Security and Development", *ADESG Review* (lecture at the National War College), Anno XXII, No. 154

"Transfer of technology", in *Brazilian Review of International Policy*, vol. XVI, No. 63/64, 2nd semester

"The conditions for technical cooperation among developing countries", in *World Interdependence and Economic Cooperation among Developing Countries*, No. 3 (autumn 1981), Centre for Applied Studies in International Negotiations, Geneva

"The debt crisis: how much longer", in *Capitulos del sela*, No. 19 (April-June 1988), Caracas

"The strategic concept of food security and the world food summit of 1996", in *Revista de Politica Externa*, 2nd semester 1995, São Paulo

Newspaper articles

Presentation in seminars

Consultant work

Technical Secretariat for Analysis and Planning, Ministry of External Relations, 1962

Pugwash draft code of conduct on the transfer of technology, 1974

WIPO editorial consultant on manual of licensing opportunities, 1975

SELA draft on Latin American proposal for the negotiation of foreign debt, 1989

Ju Kuilin (China)

Born on 15 February in 1957 in Hebei province, China

Education

1986-1987	Economics studies at Ryerson Polytechnical Institute, Toronto, Canada, majoring in international finance and investment.
1983	Specialization course in banking in Finafrica, Italy.
1981	Specialization course in project planning held by the Shanghai Institute of International Economic Management and the Economic Development Institute of the World Bank in Shanghai.
1976-1979	Graduate studies at Sichuan Institute of Foreign Languages, majoring in English, politics and political economy, etc.

Professional experience

July 1998-present	Deputy Director General of External Finance Department, Ministry of Finance.
July 1997-July 1998	Deputy Director General of Foreign Exchange and External Finance Department.
May 1996-June 1997	Division Director of Tourism Division, Foreign Exchange and External Finance Department.
October 1992-March 1996	First Secretary, Permanent Mission of China to the United Nations, in charge of financial and budgetary matters related to the Fifth Committee of the General Assembly.
July 1989-September 1992	Deputy Division Director and Division Director of the Foreign Exchange and External Finance Department, in charge of international loans and contributions.
January 1980-June 1989	International Relations Division of the Foreign Exchange and External Finance Department, in charge of external finance matters related to foreign Governments and international organizations.
January 1996-December 1997	Member of the Expert Group on Financial and Administrative Matters of UNESCO (Paris).
January 1997-present	Member of Committee on Contributions.

International conferences

Five sessions of the United Nations General Assembly and several conferences of the International Labour Organization, the World Health Organization, the International Fund for Agricultural Development and the International Atomic Energy Agency. Chairing the international workshop on microfinance sponsored by IFAD.

Sergei I. Mareyev (Russian Federation)

Born on 16 September 1950 in Moscow

Languages: Russian and English

Education

1973	Moscow Institute of Electronic Machinery
1988-1989	Higher economics courses, USSR State Planning Committee (GOSPLAN), Moscow
1994	Financial managers' training courses, Ministry of Finance of the Russian Federation, Moscow

Professional activities

1967-1968	Draftsman, Central Research Institute of Technology, Ministry of Industry, Moscow
1968-1977	Head of laboratory, Moscow Institute of Electronic Machinery
1997-1984	Chief Inspector, Head of Division, Foreign Trade Company Sudozagranpostavka, Ministry of Shipping Industry, Moscow
1984-1988	Head of Division, Central Research Institute "Kurs", Ministry of Shipping Industry, Moscow
1988-1991	Head of Division, Main Technical and Research Office, State Committee on Computer Technology, Moscow
1991-1994	Deputy Director, Institute of Financial and Economic Works, Academy on Automation Systems, Moscow
1994-1996	Deputy Director, Directorate on Currency Operations, Ministry of Finance of the Russian Federation, Moscow
1995 to date	Director, Department of Finance, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Russian Federation

International activities

1994-1995	Member of the International Commission of Financial Experts on Issues of Double Taxation Prevention and Investments Protection
1994-1996	Member of the Russian delegation at negotiations with the International Monetary Fund on major economic programmes for the Russian Federation
1996-1998	Representative of the delegation of the Russian Federation to the Fifth Committee of the United Nations General Assembly at its fifty-first, fifty-second and fifty-third sessions
1998-to date	Member, Committee on Contributions

Other activities

Co-author of the compendium of documents on currency and financial issues of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Russian Federation

Angel Marrón (Spain)

Born on 2 October 1934

Studies and qualifications

Management sciences, Escuela de Altos Estudios Mercantiles, Madrid

Business studies, Escuela Central Superior de Comercio, Madrid

Chartered accountancy, Instituto de Estudios de Censores Jurados de Cuentas, Madrid

Assistant professor in public accounting (1967-1970)

Current position

Coordinating Inspector for the Internal Supervision Services of the Ministry of Economic Affairs and Finance, Madrid

United Nations activities

During the periods 1967-1975 and 1978-1998, member of the Spanish delegation to the Fifth Committee of the General Assembly, specialized in the scale of assessments.

Professional experience

Since 1956, member of the Senior Corps of State Comptrollers and Auditors

Since 1971, Inspector of Services of the Ministry of Economic Affairs and Finance

Many posts and appointments in the areas of budgets, accounting, auditing and inspection of services of the Ministry of Economic Affairs and Finance, including:

Auditor of Finances, Territorial Services of the Ministry of Finance, (1956-1960)

Head of Section, Office of External Financial Relations (1961-1962)

Head of the Coordination and Planning of Investments Section (1962-1963)

Head of the Section of Budgetary Policy and Financing (1966-1968)

Secretary of the Board to Finance the Second Economic and Social Development Plan (1965-1968)

Director-General of Deposits (1969-1970)

Deputy Director-General of the Public Debt (1971-1975)

Inspector-General of the Ministry of Finance (1976-1977)

Director General of Budgets (1977-1982)

Coordinating Inspector for the Internal Supervision Services of the Ministry of Economic Affairs and Finance (1983-1996)

Adviser to the Office of the Budget of the President of the Government (June 1996-September 1998)

Congresses, courses and seminars

Presented papers at and participated in many courses, seminars and congresses, including on the following topics:

Fiscal and budgetary policy (George Washington University)

Federal Government accounting (American University)

Cost and output of public services (Instituto de Estudios Fiscales)

Information systems of Ministries of Finance. Netherlands

Budgetary law and principles. Centro Regional Iberoamericano de Enseñanza Informática. Panama

International Seminar on Budget Administration in Developing Countries (Copenhagen)

Seminar of the Asociación Internacional de Presupuesto

Seminar on economic management prior to the next millennium (UNED, Alicante)

Research and publications

Author and co-author of books and articles on economic and financial subjects, including:

"El control de eficacia en las Administraciones públicas españolas y la elaboración de indicadores para evaluar su gestión". Research work selected by the Instituto Nacional de Administración Pública

"El Tesoro Público y los movimientos generales de fondos". Introductory study

"Modelo de previsión económica a corto plazo". Awarded a prize by the Instituto de Estudios Fiscales

"La información del presupuesto como instrumento para la toma de decisiones", *Revista de Hacienda Pública*

"La administración de la deuda pública en España", *Revista de Hacienda Pública*

"El presupuesto monetario en España", *Revista de Hacienda Pública*

"La clasificación funcional de los gastos públicos y los costes de los servicios", *Revista de Presupuesto y Gasto Público*

"Los costes de los servicios de la administración financiera", Instituto de Estudios Fiscales

"El 50° aniversario de Naciones Unidas", *Revista Punto de Encuentro*

Hae-Yun Park (Republic of Korea)

Born on 8 December 1957 in Seoul

Educational background

1988	M.A. in political science and M.A. in government administration at University of Pennsylvania, United States of America
1981	B.S. in oceanography at Seoul National University, Republic of Korea

Professional experience

Ministry of Foreign Affairs

1998-	First Secretary, Permanent Mission to the United Nations, representative on the Fifth Committee
1995-1998	Deputy Director, United Nations Policy Division
1993-1995	First Secretary, Embassy of the Republic of Korea to Qatar
1990-1993	Second Secretary, Embassy of the Republic of Korea to the United Kingdom
1988-1990	Assistant Director, North American Division
1984-1986	Assistant Director, International Organizations Division

Private sector

1981-1983	City desk reporter at the *Korea Times*

International conferences

1995-1998	Attended as a member of the delegation of the Republic of Korea to the Fourth Committee (Special Political and Decolonization Committee) and the Special Committee on Peacekeeping Operations
1984-1986	Attended as a member of the delegation of the Republic of Korea to conferences of WHO, FAO etc.

Citation

Presidential citation (1996)

Ugo Sessi (Italy)

Born in 1947

Expert in auditing and administration

Certified public accountant

In 1990 elected to the Committee on Contributions for a three-year term and re-elected in 1993 and 1996. Since 1994 has been Vice-Chairman of the Committee.

Employment experience

1997-present	Deputy Director General of the Public Investments Service
1987-1997	Ministry of Treasury (General Accounting Office) Division Head in the General Directorate for Economic Affairs: Scientific and Space Policy, Telecommunications, Industry and Technological Innovation
1979-1987	Ministry of Treasury (General Accounting Office) Section Head (International Organizations)
1977-1979	Ministry of Treasury (General Accounting Office) Junior Counsellor
1970-1977	Ministry of Tourism, Personnel and General Administration

Professional training

1989-1990	Advanced Academy of Public Administration in Rome One-year training course prior to appointment as Senior Head of Division, which also included three months at the National Institute for Nuclear Research

Professional appointments

1990-1998	At the national level has been an auditor and certified public accountant for many public agencies and corporations and, since 1990, for the National Centre for Space Research. Associate Professor at the Advanced Academy of Public Administration (Industrial Economy Law) in Rome.
1987-1989	At the international level appointed as alternate auditor in the Western European Union.

International experience

From 1977 to 1987, while on duty in the International Organizations Division of the Ministry of Treasury, and then in his present position, has participated, as member of the Italian delegation, in the following:

1985	Luxembourg: Conference on the European Patent.
1985	Paris: United Nations Conference on the Least Developed Countries.
1984	Review and appraisal of the implementation of the International Development Strategy for the Third United Nations Development Decade.
1983-1987	FAO and IFAD

1983	Sixth session of UNCTAD
1979; 1990-1998 (exception 1993)	United Nations General Assembly (Fifth Committee)
1979-1981-1985	UNEP Convention for the Protection of the Mediterranean Sea against Pollution
1979-1981	Geneva: UNCTAD/United Nations preparatory phase for the institution of the Common Fund for Commodities
1979	Vienna: United Nations Conference on Science and Technology for Development
1978-1987	Has participated in several meetings of the European Community and OECD bodies (DAC, high-level group on commodities and on North/South cooperation).
1978-1983	WIPO
1978-1980	UNESCO

Italian delegate in the budget and finance committees of

since 1987	European Space Agency
since 1987	European Southern Observatory — Chairman of Finance Committees since 1997
1987-1990	European Centre for Weather Forecasts
1983-1986	UNCTAD
1981-1987	UNDP
1981-1987	European Patent Office
1978-1988	GATT

Education

1975	Master's degree in public administration (Magna cum laude), University of Rome.
1973	Bachelor's degree in economics, University of Rome.

Foreign languages: English, French and Spanish.